

No. 4141

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Schulte E.

Residence Berlin

Date Oct 28. /87,

Rec'd

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Pair of the three  
Achenbachs

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Eduard Schulte,

Kunsthandlung, Permanente Kunstausstellung

Düsseldorf, <sup>in</sup> Berlin <sup>und</sup> Köln,  
Altestraße 42. Richardstraße 16.

(Oct. 28. 1887?)

E. F. Andrews Esq.  
Washington  
DC

Dear Sir

We have shipped  
the day before yesterday <sup>over</sup> the  
three paintings.

Oswald Achenbach, church-  
festival in Naples Markt. 16000  
Andrews Achenbach, Mill

in the mountains 15000  
and the same, The Pier of

Osterwin (Moonlight Scene) 12000  
over Bremen free of freights  
as required to the Corcoran  
Gallery of Art for approval.

as Dr. Welling has ordered us  
to do. We hope that the mem-  
bers of the Corcoran Gallery  
will make up their mind  
to buy the three pictures  
for the Gallery being first  
rate specimens all the three  
of the two artists. And  
taking a landscape of Andread,  
the Gallery must also have  
a marine, to represent this  
kind of work of his.

However if the gentlemen  
should not decide to buy  
the Pier of Osterwin you  
would be kind enough to  
tell the gentleman, who  
took an interest in the paint-  
ing before of the pictures  
being there. Perhaps any  
arrangement

could be made, when this gentleman makes up his mind to buy the pictures. Mr. D. J. Partello, the U. S. Consul of our city takes a great interest in the three pictures coming into the Corcoran Gallery or remaining in Washington anyhow.

He says that none of the three pictures should be sent back and cross the ocean again.

The prices we named are the very lowest we can sell the pictures for and put on as low as we possibly could in order to compare the sale to the Gallery.

Our remaining dear friends  
with kind regards  
Yours very faithfully  
Edward D. Smith

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CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Lawbridge N. H.

Residence Danville Va.

Date Oct. 28. 1887,

Rec'd " 29. "

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

For a Corday.

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W. H. TROWBRIDGE,

MANUFACTURER OF PREMIUM

SMOKING TOBACCOS.

[The original Medals and Diplomas are at the Drug Store of Dr. H. W. Cole, Danville, Va.]



*Red*

DANVILLE, VIRGINIA,

188

There are 30 Danvilles.—Write VIRGINIA in full.

*Handwritten text in cursive script, mostly illegible due to fading. Visible words include: "Cigarettes", "Tobacco", "Danville", "Virginia", "1889", "Trowbridge".*

*1889*

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DANVILLE, VIRGINIA, *Oct 28 1887*

There are 50 Danvilles.—Write VIRGINIA in full.

*Dear Mr. Trowbridge*  
*Washington*

*Enclosed please find stamps  
 45¢ = 15¢ of Green Green  
 30¢ = 10¢ of Blue Blue  
 15¢ = 5¢ of Red Red  
 10¢ = 2¢ of Yellow Yellow  
 5¢ = 1¢ of Purple Purple  
 (Obverse of Envelope)*

*I want it for an artist friend,  
 the shadows not so dark as to be  
 obscure; & the light not so light  
 as to injure the modeling.*

*Respectfully Yours  
 W. H. Trowbridge*

*I desire to re-mail it to a friend  
 abroad as he may be best to protect it*

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CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Wheeler S. S.

Residence N. Y.

Date Oct, 29. 1887

Rec'd " 31 "

Ack'g'd " 31 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Wishes large Photo  
of bust of Proserpine.

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# The "C. & C." Electric Motor Co.,

S. S. WHEELER,  
*Electrician and Supt.*

90 South Fifth Avenue,

FACTORY.

Deliver all goods at rear, 140 Thompson St.  
Telephone, 969 SPRING.  
Treasurer's Office, 2 WALL ST.

*Recd & paid  
Oct 31-*

New York. OCTOBER 29, 188 —

Sec'y  
Corcoran Art Gallery.

Washington, D. C.

Sir:-

I want to get a medium or large photograph of the "bust of  
Proserphine" in the Octagon Room.

When I was at the gallery you had nothing but stereoscopic  
view of same. Can what I want be had?

Respectfully,

*S. S. Wheeler*  
*S. S. W. Co.*



No. 4144

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Brigham John

Residence Ottawa Ill

Date Oct. 28. 1887,

Rec'd " 31 "

Ack'g'd " 31 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

Wishes a photograph  
of the "Trojan Horse"

✓

Read & Belcher  
Oct. 81

1004 Paul Street,  
Ottawa, Ill., Oct. 25, 1887.

Mr. W<sup>m</sup> McLeod -

My Dear Sir -

Yours of 20<sup>th</sup> to hand.  
I think of ordering a "Sacred Bull",  
and would like very much to  
secure a copy of "The Trojan  
Horse." I could use it for my  
classes in Greek and Latin, and  
think it would pay you to have  
it photographed. The painting  
is such a fine piece of work,  
and so true to the reality, that

classical teachers, I am sure  
would be glad to have it.  
Properly advertised, you might  
make a good thing of it.

Let me know if you  
care to photo it, and if so, the  
probable price. I should be  
willing to pay 10-20%  
more than for the regular  
price of the other pictures.

Very truly,  
John Bigelow.

Mr. W. Macleod,  
Washington, D.C.



No. 4145.

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Richard Mors C. H.

Residence 237 Main St Hartford Conn

Date Oct: 31. 1887

Rec'd Nov 2 "


Ack'g'd " 2 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

About copying.

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Recd.  Nov 2 / 87  
(sent Rules " )

Hartford Conn  
Oct-31. 1887

Dear Sir.

Please tell me what-  
is required of an artist  
who wishes to copy the  
paintings in the Art-gallery

Address me  
Mrs Christian H. Eckhardt:  
237 Main Street  
Hartford  
Conn.

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CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

White Morris L. A.

Residence Pittsburgh

Date Nov 2. 1887

Rec'd " 3 "

Ack'g'd " 3 "

Answered

SUBJECT.

About exchange of  
photographs.

✓



Nov 3<sup>3</sup>/87Pittsburgh Nov 2<sup>nd</sup>,

Sir,

Some days ago I  
bought three photographs  
from you at 75<sup>¢</sup> apiece.  
Since coming home I  
regret not having taken  
the larger size at 2<sup>00</sup>  
and write to know if I  
can exchange them and  
get one or two others also.  
Have you a 2<sup>00</sup> photo of  
Guth as a Butterfly  
same style and size  
of Gink there at 2<sup>00</sup>?  
If not is The Peri an  
exact match in size  
and finish of 2<sup>00</sup> Gink also?

Hoping to hear from you  
at your earliest convenience  
I am yours respectfully  
Laura H. White

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CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Norton C. B.

Residence N. Y.

Date Nov 3. 1887

Rec'd " 4 "

Ack'g'd 9

Answered

SUBJECT.

Calling attention  
to a painting by  
Munkacsy.

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*Delivered Nov. 9*

# THE THORNDIKE,

BOYLSTON ST., OPP. PUBLIC GARDEN.

G. A. & J. L. DAMON,  
Proprietors.

Boston, Mass. *Nov 3<sup>rd</sup>* 1887

My Mr Leod

My dear Sir

When in New York  
the other day I visited the  
great printing of Mumukshu  
which in my judgement is  
finer than Christ before Pilate.  
My special object in writing  
you is in reference to a small  
printing by the same Artist  
which has not yet been seen.  
It is a scene in a Conservatory  
with two figures and peculiarly  
adapted to the walls of the  
Corcoran Gallery. I enclose  
a couple of introductory tickets  
should any one go on from  
Washington and also a note  
to Mr Sedelmeyer whom I asked  
to retain the printing till I could  
write you. I think you would  
be pleased with the printing.

Yours sincerely,  
C. B. Norton

No. 4148

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Stevens B. F.

Residence London

Date Nov. 4, 1887,

Rec'd

Ack'g'd

Answered

SUBJECT.

Statement of %c.

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4. Trafalgar Square,  
London, 31 Oct 1887  
W.C.

B. W. Stevens,  
The Corcoran Gallery of Art

Art Journal, Jan to Dec 1888	1	1	0
Portfolios,	do	1	13 0
		<u>£</u>	<u>2 14 0</u>



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Copy

4. Trafalgar Square,  
London. 24 May 1887  
1886.

B. F. Stevens,

Corcoran Gallery of Art

£ s d

Art Journal - Jubilee No-  
June 1887 - extra cost & postage } = 1 9

42 cents



WM. MAC LEOD ESQ.,  
CURATOR,  
CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART,  
WASHINGTON, D.C.

4148  
B. F. Stevens.  
4. Trafalgar Square.  
London, W.C. 1887

Abbreviated Address for Telegrams: Mada London.

4 NOVEMBER 1887

DEAR SIR,

I HAVE THE PLEASURE TO ACKNOWLEDGE THE RECEIPT OF YOUR  
LETTER OF THE 17TH OCTOBER, AND HAVE NOTED TO STOP YOUR SUBSCRIPTION  
TO "ILLUSTRATED LONDON NEWS" AT THE END OF THE CURRENT YEAR. I  
ENCLOSE AN INVOICE £2.14.0 FOR THE SUBSCRIPTIONS TO THE PAPERS  
THAT ARE TO BE CONTINUED.

YOUR STATEMENTS WITH REGARD TO MY ACCOUNT ARE QUITE  
CORRECT WITH THE EXCEPTION THAT THE BALANCE DUE ME FOR 1887 IS  
£5.33, - \$4.91 AND 42 CENTS DUE FOR EXTRA CHARGE ON THE JUBILEE  
'NO. OF "ART JOURNAL"'.  
WMS

ALWAYS AT YOUR SERVICE,

I AM, DEAR SIR,

YOURS FAITHFULLY,

B. F. Stevens  
WMS

No. 4149

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Leubner W. M.

Residence Baltimore.

Date Nov 5. 1887

Rec'd " 7 "

Ack'g'd " "

Answered " 7 "

SUBJECT.

Offers a painting  
of Leubner for ge  
d sale,

✓



Baltimore November 5. 1887.

Committee on works of Art.

Washington D. C.

Gentlemen!

I have a Picture oil  
Painting titled the Arabian nights  
representing the last night of entertain-  
ments. Will you kindly grant me  
the privilege of exhibiting the same in  
your Gallery? I claim a styl of  
Picture to be entirely new treatment  
& of rich colors something worth exhibiting  
my object is to sell, if I can find a  
purchaser. Again I beg of you, to  
grant me my requests. The Frame  
is made to order original & in keeping  
with the Picture, magnificently gild,  
& very rich ornamented & you will comply  
with my wishes. I remain Yours.

Most Respectfully W. M. Tenbree  
S. W. corner of Charles & Fayette streets  
B. M. D.



No. 4130

CORCORAN GALLERY OF ART FILES.

WRITER.

Donaldson John M.

Residence P.O. Box 68 Cnty.

Date Nov. 3. 1887

Rec'd " 4 "

Ack'g'd " 4 "

Answered " 7 "

SUBJECT.

Wishes to sell a  
bronze figure of Sparticus,  
30 inches high -  
weight, 40 pounds,

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Amos Nov 7/87

Washington D. C.  
Nov. 3<sup>rd</sup> '87.Amos Nov 7/87  
to the gallery

Mr. W. W. Corcoran:

Dear Sir:

I have a bronze figure of Sparticus, by Foyatier, which cost 600f. in Paris twenty years ago and which would make a valuable addition to the art gallery. It is the model from which the artist made the life size figure in the Louvre, and I am reliably informed is the only Sparticus in this country. As a study of anatomy it is perfect. I wish to dispose of the piece as I am now in bad circumstances financially; in need of money and wish to leave the city, having lost my position in one of the departments. If you would like to see the piece I can send it to your residence and you will then be able to judge of it as a work of art. Your well known benevolence and love of art must be my excuse for addressing this letter to you



The figure is 30 inches high and weighs  
about 40 pounds.

Very respectfully  
John M. Donaldson.  
P.O. Box 68. City.